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## **Special Federal Program Notices**

The White House Office of Faith-Based and Community Initiatives invites you to participate in the Portraits of Compassion video story contest. This contest is designed to shine a light on the countless caring Americans who offer help and hope to their neighbors in need as part of President Bush's Faith-Based and Community Initiative.

The mission of the Faith-Based and Community Initiative is to strengthen both faith-based and other community-based service organizations and to grow government's collaboration with them to aid people in need. Over the past seven years, tens of thousands of partnerships have formed between government and dedicated nonprofits, extending service and hope to millions of needy individuals both at home and abroad. The Portraits of Compassion video story contest is a chance to honor this vital work and inspire others to service as well.

Eligible applicants include any domestic or international nonprofit organization that has partnered with a Federally-funded program since 2001 to serve the needy. Applications must include a "video story" of three minutes or less that can be uploaded on a free online video

sharing service such as YouTube, Google Video, iTunes, or MySpace. All videos must be submitted as an Internet link by May 1, 2008. To learn more or to submit an application, visit <http://www.hhs.gov/fbci/portraits/index.html> <<http://www.hhs.gov/fbci/portraits/index.html>> .

Winning videos will be premiered during the White House National Conference on Faith-Based and Community Initiatives in Washington, D.C., on June 26 and 27, 2008 and showcased nationally on the Conference website. This Conference is free and open to the public. Online registration for the Conference will be available soon [www.fbci.gov](http://www.fbci.gov) <<http://www.fbci.gov/>> by clicking on the "Washington DC" conference link at the top right corner.

We wish you the very best in this contest and extend heartfelt thanks for your faithful service.

Sincerely,

Jay Hein, Director

White House Office of Faith-Based and Community Initiatives

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## Federal Government News You Can Use

### Business Opportunities at the Department of Homeland Security

The Department of Homeland Security (DHS), the newest federal agency, spends millions of dollars each year. Much of that spending is used to purchase goods and services that are vital to the functioning of the Department and the security of our nation. The link below is a new publication distributed by the U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Homeland Security which details business opportunities at the Department of Homeland Security.

<http://homeland.house.gov/SiteDocuments/dhsbizopsapril.pdf>

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### [Where can I find transportation information for people with disabilities?](#)

There are a variety of resources available to assist people with disabilities with their transportation needs. DisabilityInfo.gov maintains information and links to various transportation resources for the disabled, and Project Action's online National Accessible Traveler's Database allows individuals to find local transportation that is accessible to the disabled. Project Action also provides information on many transportation subjects that affect the disabled, including consumer education, paratransit eligibility, and general information on accessible transportation. Finally, if you have a complaint about compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)

regulations, the U.S. Department of Justice's ADA Information Line should be able to help. Visit [USA.gov](http://USA.gov) for links to all these resources.

There are a variety of resources available to assist the disabled with their transportation needs.

- [DisabilityInfo.Gov](#) - This web site maintains information and links to various transportation resources for the disabled.
- [Project Action](#) - Project Action's online National Accessible Traveler's Database allows individuals to find local transportation that is accessible to the disabled.

The Easter Seals' Project Action is a Federally-funded program that provides information on various transportation issues affecting the disabled. They also provide free information on many transportation subjects that affect the disabled, including consumer education, paratransit eligibility, and general information on accessible transportation. For more information, or help with locating transportation assistance for the disabled, contact [Project Action](#).

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## Recent Federal Awards

(Click on link below to read about recent awards in the 20<sup>th</sup> Congressional District)

### **Gillibrand Announces \$391,000 for Water Infrastructure Project in the Town of Schodack**

Town of Schodack, in Rensselaer County, was awarded \$391,000 from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) for critical water infrastructure improvements in Schodack Landing. The grant was awarded under the USDA Rural Development Program, and it will help fund critical sewer improvements to the Town sewer system to improve water quality and increase economic development opportunities in the community.

[http://www.gillibrand.house.gov/index.php?option=com\\_content&task=view&id=285&Itemid=1](http://www.gillibrand.house.gov/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=285&Itemid=1)

### **Gillibrand Announces \$500,000 for Schaghticoke Sewer Project**

Town of Schaghticoke in Rensselaer County was awarded \$500,000 for critical water infrastructure improvements. These funds were awarded as part of the United States Department of Agriculture, Rural Development program.

[http://www.gillibrand.house.gov/index.php?option=com\\_content&task=view&id=286&Itemid=1](http://www.gillibrand.house.gov/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=286&Itemid=1)



**Gillibrand Announces \$267,500 for New York Museum of Firefighting Fire Prevention Education Program**

The Firemen’s Association of the State of New York’s Museum of Firefighting was awarded \$267,500 for fire prevention education programming. These funds, from the Federal Emergency Management Agency - Fire Prevention and Education Program, will allow the FASNY Museum of Firefighting to employ a full-time fire prevention and safety education specialist as well as engage in community outreach programs to reach more people with this important safety information. In November of 2007, the Congresswoman wrote to the Federal Emergency Management Agency in support of the grant request.

**Book Awards from the National Endowment for the Humanities**

Two local schools have been awarded 17 classic books on the theme of “Created Equal” made possible through the National Endowment for the Humanities’(NEH) *We the People* Bookshelf program.

‘Created Equal’ encourages students to explore one of America’s greatest founding principles, and the books featured in this collection both address the concept of equality and recount the periods of our history which tested the declaration that ‘all men are created equal.

Schools in the 20th Congressional District include:

Chango Elementary School Library
Berlin Elementary School Library (Berlin Central School District)
Cairo Durham Middle/High School
Berlin Junior/Senior High Library (Berlin Central School District)
Skano Elementary School Library
Grafton Elementary School Library (Berlin Central School District)
Charlotte Valley Central School District
Franklin Central School
Pember Library and Museum
Lake Placid Elementary School Library Media Center
Lake Placid Middle/High School
Mechanicville Public Library
Caroline Street Library
South Glens Falls Senior High Library
Stephentown Elementary School Library (Berlin Central School District)
Stillwater Free Library
Stillwater Middle/High School Library Media Center
Ticonderoga Middle School Library
Valatie Free Library
Walton Middle/High School Library

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## New York State Grant Announcements and Notices

NYS Conference Office of Mayor's

2008 Main Street Economic Development Conferences will be held  
April 24th in Hyde Park  
and May 15th in Buffalo  
and are presented in cooperation with  
The NYS Division of Housing and Community Renewal and  
The Office for Small Cities

Click the link for the registration flier and tentative agenda:

<http://www.nymainstreet.org/pdfs/2008NYCOMflier.pdf>

(Congresswoman Gillibrand notes that this Conference is not affiliated with the U.S. House of Representatives and is being noted for information purposes only.)

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### Department of Health - The Long Term Care Quality Improvement Initiative

The New York State Department of Health, through the Long Term Care Quality Improvement Initiative (LTCQII), is dedicated to improving the quality of the nursing home experience in New York State facilities. The LTCQII will support projects of long term care providers and others who will utilize grant monies, in addition to their own funds, to achieve sustainable improvements that will benefit nursing home residents. Applicants are encouraged to look at creative ways to use these funds. Projects must meet at least one of the following objectives which include: improving resident quality of life; improving the quality of care provided; improving the use of data in decision making; and improving cross-provider communication and information sharing. Contracts will be a maximum of 18 months, starting July 1, 2008, in length. Therefore, activities and an evaluation of their effect must be completed within that timeframe.

**ELIGIBILITY:** All applicants must be currently licensed as a nursing home in New York State, and be certified as a Medicare/Medicaid provider; or if the applicant is not a nursing home, the applicant will have entered into a project that benefits nursing home residents in facilities certified as a Medicare/Medicaid nursing home provider in New York State.

**FUNDING:** Individual grants of up to \$45,000 will be awarded.

**DEADLINE:** Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis beginning April 11, 2008 through May 5, 2008.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Contact Cathy Fiato, NYS Department of Health, Office of Long Term Care, Division of Residential Services, 161 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY 12054, or e-mail: [kxf10@health.state.ny.us](mailto:kxf10@health.state.ny.us)

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## **Education Department**

### **New York State Mentor Teacher Internship Program**

The New York State Education Department, through the Office of Teaching Initiatives, is offering this grant for the development and implementation of mentor teacher-internship programs in local school districts. Funding for this program is subject to yearly approval by the New York State Legislature. These programs enable experienced teachers (mentors) in a district to provide guidance and support to beginning teachers (interns) in their first or second year of teaching. Essential components of these programs include, but are not limited to: Joint development of these programs by school administration and local teachers' bargaining agents, program focus on the mentor/intern relationship which develops through the project year, defined mentor selection process, including establishment of a mentor selection committee, mentor training, described activities for mentors, interns and principals as well as a final program evaluation.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Public school districts and boards of cooperative educational services.

**FUNDING:** This grant is for years 2008-2012. It is anticipated that funds totaling \$10 million will be available for the initial year funding.

**DEADLINE:** May 16, 2008.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Contact Nancy Brennan, Education Department Office of Teaching, 5N EB, State Education Department, Albany, NY 12234, or e-mail [MTIPRFP@mail.nysed.gov](mailto:MTIPRFP@mail.nysed.gov), or call at (518) 474-4661.

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## **Historic Preservation Grant Program - Preservation League of New York State**

This grant program is being offered through Preserve New York, which is part of the Preservation League of New York State and the New York State Council on the Arts (NYSCA). The Preservation League of New York State is a private, not-for-profit organization that works to protect and enhance the Empire State's historic buildings, landscapes and neighborhoods. The New York State Council on the Arts is the state's arts funding agency. The Preservation League and NYSCA have collaborated on this grant program annually since 1993. Projects which are eligible to receive funds include, but are not limited to: Historic structure reports for public buildings; historic landscape reports for municipal parks; and cultural resource surveys of downtowns and residential neighborhoods.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Municipalities, including municipal housing authorities and housing development fund companies, and not-for-profit corporations and charitable organizations.

**FUNDING:** Grants are likely to range between \$3,000 and \$15,000 each.

**DEADLINE:** May 5, 2008.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Contact Preserve New York through their Website: [www.preservenys.org](http://www.preservenys.org). Prospective applicants should contact the Preservation League to discuss their projects and to request an application form.

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## Federal Grant and Cooperative Agreement Program Summaries

### U.S. Department of Agriculture

**USDA ISSUES FUNDING ALLOCATION** The “1940-L” notice, explaining how most rural housing programs’ FY 2008 funds are allocated among states, and other USDA FY 2008 funding notices are at [http://www.ruralhome.org/infoAnnouncements\\_2008RDNOFAs.php](http://www.ruralhome.org/infoAnnouncements_2008RDNOFAs.php). See *Federal Register*, 3/28/08, pp. 16624-38. Contact RD state offices.

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#### Modifications/Rule Changes:

School Breakfast Program  
CFDA#: 10.553      FR Date: 04/09/08      PAGE: 19186  
CONTACT: Robert M. Eadie  
TELEPHONE: 703 305-2590  
SUMMARY: Notice regarding the Food and Nutrition Service; Child Nutrition Programs - Income Eligibility Guidelines. This Notice announces the Department’s annual adjustments to the Income Eligibility Guidelines to be used in determining eligibility for free and reduced price meals and fee milk for the period from July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009. The guidelines are intended to direct benefits to those children most in need and are revised annually to account for changes in the Consumer Price Index.

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National School Lunch Program  
CFDA#: 10.555      FR Date: 04/09/08      PAGE: 19186  
CONTACT: Robert M. Eadie  
TELEPHONE: 703 305-2590  
SUMMARY: Notice regarding the Food and Nutrition Service; Child Nutrition Programs - Income Eligibility Guidelines. This Notice announces the Department’s annual adjustments to the Income Eligibility Guidelines to be used in determining eligibility for free and reduced price meals and fee milk for the period from July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009. The guidelines are intended to direct benefits to those children most in need and are revised annually to account for changes in the Consumer Price Index.

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Special Milk Program for Children  
CFDA#: 10.556      FR Date: 04/09/08      PAGE: 19186  
CONTACT: Robert M. Eadie  
TELEPHONE: 703 305-2590  
SUMMARY: Notice regarding the Food and Nutrition Service; Child Nutrition Programs - Income Eligibility Guidelines. This Notice announces the Department’s annual adjustments to the Income Eligibility Guidelines to be used in determining eligibility for free and reduced price meals and fee milk for the period from July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009. The guidelines are intended to direct benefits to those children most in need and are revised annually to account for changes in the Consumer Price Index.

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Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children  
CFDA#: 10.557      FR Date: 04/08/08      PAGE: 19048  
CONTACT: Debra Whitford  
TELEPHONE: 703 305-2746  
SUMMARY: Notice regarding the Food and Nutrition Service; Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC): Income Eligibility Guidelines. The Department announces adjusted income eligibility guidelines to be used by State agencies in determining the income eligibility of persons applying to participate in the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC). These income eligibility guidelines are to be used in conjunction with the WIC Regulations.

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Child and Adult Care Food Program  
CFDA#: 10.558      FR Date: 04/09/08      PAGE: 19186  
CONTACT: Robert M. Eadie  
TELEPHONE: 703 305-2590  
SUMMARY: Notice regarding the Food and Nutrition Service; Child Nutrition Programs - Income Eligibility Guidelines. This Notice announces the Department’s annual adjustments to the Income Eligibility Guidelines to be used in determining eligibility for free and reduced price meals and fee milk for the period from July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009. The guidelines are intended to direct benefits to those children most in need and are revised annually to account for changes in the Consumer Price Index.

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Summer Food Service Program for Children  
CFDA#: 10.559      FR Date: 04/09/08      PAGE: 19186  
CONTACT: Robert M. Eadie  
TELEPHONE: 703 305-2590  
SUMMARY: Notice regarding the Food and Nutrition Service; Child Nutrition Programs - Income Eligibility Guidelines. This Notice announces the Department’s annual adjustments to the Income Eligibility Guidelines to be used in determining eligibility for free and reduced price meals and fee milk for the period from July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009. The guidelines are intended to direct benefits to those children most in need and are revised annually to account for changes in the Consumer Price Index.

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Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children  
CFDA#: 10.557    FR Date: 03/17/08    PAGE: 14153  
CONTACT: Debra Whitford    TELEPHONE: 703 305-2746  
SUMMARY: Interim rule regarding the Food and Nutrition Service; Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC): Revisions in the WIC Food Packages; Delay of Implementation Date.  
This document delays from August 5, 2009 until October 1, 2009 the implementation date of the interim final rule entitled Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC): Revisions in the WIC Food Packages, which was published in the Federal Register on December 6, 2007, and became effective on February 4, 2008. The interim rule revises regulations governing the WIC food packages to align the WIC food packages with the Dietary Guidelines for Americans and current infant feeding practice guidelines of the American Academy of Pediatrics. The new implementation date of October 1, 2008<sup>9</sup> uses the first date of the month and also corresponds with the beginning of the Federal fiscal year.

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Community Facilities Loans and Grants  
CFDA#: 10.766    FR Date: 03/17/08    PAGE: 14171  
CONTACT: Chad Parker    TELEPHONE: 202 720-1502  
SUMMARY: Interim rule regarding the Rural Housing Service; Community Facilities Grant Program. This rule sets forth the regulation changes for the Community Facilities Grant program, which is available to rural communities impacted by a Presidentially declared disaster. This rule establishes the requirement to qualify for additional funding. This rule is being issued on an emergency basis due to the severe economic and social conditions caused by disasters, which occur every year in rural America. This will allow USDA to target limited funds to the most devastated communities/counties in rural areas.

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**Department of Commerce**

Rule Change:

Trade Adjustment Assistance  
CFDA#: 11.313    FR Date: 04/09/08    PAGE: 19190  
CONTACT: Trade Adjustment Assistance  
TELEPHONE: Not Listed  
SUMMARY: Notice regarding the Economic Development Administration; of Petitions by Firms for Determination of Eligibility to Apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance, for period of April 1, 2008 through April 30, 2008.

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Department of Defense

Defense Logistics Agency  
Procurement Technical Assistance Program (PTAP) Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DLA-080407-1
Opportunity Category:	Continuation
Posted Date:	Apr 07, 2008
Creation Date:	Apr 06, 2008
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 07, 2008
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 07, 2008
Archive Date:	
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Regional Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	95
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$26,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$600,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number:	12.002 -- Procurement Technical Assistance For Business Firms
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes

Eligible Applicants

Eligible Applicants who may apply under this solicitation include new applicants and existing programs who qualify as Eligible Entities as described below. Organizations qualifying as Eligible Entities to submit an application under this solicitation include: a. State government. Any of the several states of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, any territory or possession of the United States, or any agency or instrumentality of a state exclusive of local governments. The term does not include any public and Indian housing agency under United States Housing Act of 1937. b. Local government. A county, municipality, city, town, township, local public authority (including any public and Indian housing agency under the United States Housing Act of 1937), school district, special district, intrastate district, council of governments (whether or not incorporated as a nonprofit corporation under state law), any other regional or interstate government entity, or any agency or instrumentality of a local government. c. Private nonprofit organizations. A business entity which is exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501 of the Internal Revenue Code, and no part of its earnings inure to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual, and no substantial part of its activities is carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation or participating in any political campaign on behalf of any

candidate for public office. d. Indian Economic Enterprise. Any Indian owned (as defined by the Secretary of the Interior) commercial, industrial, or business activity established or organized, whether or not such economic enterprise is organized for profit or nonprofit purposes: Provided, that such Indian ownership shall constitute not less than 51 per centum of the enterprise. e. Indian Tribal Organization. The recognized governing body of any Indian tribe; any legally established organization of Indians which is controlled, sanctioned, or chartered by such governing body, or which is democratically elected by the adult members of the Indian community to be served by such organization and which includes the maximum participation of Indians in all phases of its activities: Provided, that in any case where a cooperative agreement is made to an organization to perform services benefiting more than one Indian tribe, the approval of each such Indian tribe shall be a prerequisite to the letting or making of such cooperative agreement.

## Description

The closing date for the submission of all applications for the New 2008 Solicitation for Cooperative Agreement Applications (SCAA) is May 7, 2008. Information Pertaining to Submission of Applications for the 2008 SCAA (Issued April 7, 2008): On March 18, 2003, the Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) issued a Solicitation for Cooperative Agreement Applications (SCAA) to assist state and local governments and other nonprofit eligible entities in establishing or maintaining Procurement Technical Assistance Centers (PTACs) pursuant to chapter 142, title 10, United States Code. These centers help business firms market their products and service to the Department of Defense (DoD), other federal agencies, and state and/or local government agencies. Cooperative agreement awards made as a result of applications submitted in response to this solicitation contained provisions for the award of additional option awards through 2007. DLA now intends to issue another solicitation as a follow-on action to the March 18, 2003 SCAA in order to maintain continuity of the Procurement Technical Assistance Program. This solicitation governs the submission of applications for calendar year 2008, and will provide for option period awards for 2009 and 2010. This 2008 SCAA, issued April 7, 2008, which contains a number of changes from the March 18, 2003 SCAA, can be found on-line at: <http://www.dla.mil/db/2008scaa.pdf> and is currently available for review. Printed copies are not available for distribution. Section IV describes what is required to submit an application. All documentation listed in Section IV is required to support an award. Existing programs and new eligible entities may apply. Your completed application, which includes the SF 424 submitted through Grants.gov, must be submitted no later than May 7, 2008, 5:00 PM EDT. Hardcopy documents required by Section IV should be mailed or otherwise delivered by the same deadline to: Headquarters, Defense Logistics Agency Office of Small Business Programs (DB) Attn: Grants Officer 8725 John J. Kingman Road, Suite 1127 Ft. Belvoir, VA 22060-6221. Please direct any questions or concerns regarding the application process to Mr. Robert Little, Grants Officer, (703) 767-1664, [robert.little@dla.mil](mailto:robert.little@dla.mil) or Ms. Lindyll Finley, Program Manager for the DoD Procurement Technical Assistance (PTA) Program, (703) 767-1654, [lindyll.finley@dla.mil](mailto:lindyll.finley@dla.mil)



**Link to Full Announcement**

[Solicitation of Cooperative Agreement Applications \(SCAA\)  
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41186](http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41186)

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North America Forum Grant  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41239>

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**Research Grants:**

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency  
DARPA - Tactical Technology Office  
Innovative Systems for Military Missions Grant  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41254>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA  
DOD Peer Reviewed Medical Investigator-Initiated Research Award Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17292>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA  
DOD Peer Reviewed Medical Clinical Trial Award Grant  
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Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA  
DOD Peer Reviewed Medical Advanced Technology/Therapeutic Development Award Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17294>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA  
DOD Peer Reviewed Medical Translational Research Award Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17295>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency  
DARPA - MTO - BAA0718  
Quantum Entanglement Science and Technology (QuEST) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17299>

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**Modifications:**

Department of Defense  
Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA  
Psychological Health (PH) and Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) Modification 3

Office of Naval Research  
Electronics Technology Modification 1  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41015>

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**Department of Education**

**Foreign Language Assistance Program (84.293B) Grant**

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-032708-001
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Mar 27, 2008
Creation Date:	Apr 02, 2008
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2008 Applications Available: March 27, 2008. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: April 30, 2008.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2008 Applications Available: March 27, 2008. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: April 30, 2008.
Archive Date:	May 30, 2008
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	12
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,360,000
Award Ceiling:	
Award Floor:	
CFDA Number:	84.293 -- Foreign Language Assistance
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes

**Eligible Applicants**

Eligible Applicants: LEAs, including charter schools that are considered LEAs under State law, in partnership with one or more institutions of higher education.

**Description**

•Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register application notice. For specific information about eligibility, please see the official application notice. The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at:  
<http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Purpose of Program: The Foreign Language Assistance Program (FLAP) provides grants to local educational agencies (LEAs) for innovative model programs providing for the establishment, improvement, or expansion of foreign language study for elementary and secondary school students. Under this competition, as required by the fiscal year 2008 Appropriations Act, 5-year grants will be awarded to LEAs to work in partnership with one or more institutions of higher education (IHEs) to establish or expand articulated programs of study in languages critical to United States national security in order to enable successful students to achieve a superior level of proficiency in those languages as they advance from elementary school through high school and college. In addition, an LEA that receives a grant under this program must use the funds to support programs that show the promise of being continued beyond the grant period and demonstrate approaches that can be disseminated to and duplicated in other LEAs. Projects supported under this program may also include a professional development component. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.293B. If you choose to submit your application electronically, you must use the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at <http://www.Grants.gov>. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not e-mail an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the Foreign Language Assistance Program at <http://www.Grants.gov>. You must search for the downloadable application package for this program by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.293, not for 84.293B). The telephone number for the Grants.gov Helpdesk is 1-800-518-4726 or e-mail: [support@grants.gov](mailto:support@grants.gov).

FR Date: 03/27/08  
CONTACT: Rebecca Richey  
CONTACT: Sharon Coleman

PAGE: 16277      DEADLINE: 04/30/08  
TELEPHONE: 202 245-7133  
TELEPHONE: 202 245-7124

**Link to Full Announcement**

[Foreign Language Assistance Program--Local Educational Agencies; Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards for Fiscal Year \(FY\) 2008](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&opId=17304>

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Projects With Industry (PWI) Program

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Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-032808-001
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Mar 28, 2008
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Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 27, 2008 Applications Available: March 28, 2008. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: May 27, 2008.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 27, 2008 Applications Available: March 28, 2008. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: May 27, 2008.
Archive Date:	Jun 26, 2008
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	63
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$18,900,000
Award Ceiling:	
Award Floor:	
CFDA Number:	84.234 -- Projects with Industry
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes

**Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Eligible Applicants: Employers, nonprofit agencies or organizations, designated State units, labor unions, community rehabilitation program providers, trade associations, Indian tribes, tribal organizations, and other agencies or organizations, including faith-based and community organizations, with the capacity to create and expand job and career opportunities for individuals with disabilities.

**Agency Name**

U.S. Department of Education

**Description**

•Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register application notice. For specific information about eligibility, please see the official application notice. The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at: <http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Purpose of Program: The PWI program creates and expands job and career opportunities for individuals with disabilities in the competitive labor market by engaging the talent and leadership of private industry as partners in the rehabilitation process. Projects identify competitive job and career opportunities and the skills needed to perform those jobs, create practical settings for job readiness and training programs, and provide training, job placements, and career advancement services. To submit your application via Grants.gov, you must complete all steps in the Grants.gov registration process (see [http://www.grants.gov/applicants/get\\_registered.jsp](http://www.grants.gov/applicants/get_registered.jsp)). You may access the electronic grant application for the PWI Program at <http://www.Grants.gov>. You must search for the downloadable application package for this competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.234, not 4.234S). The telephone of the Grants.gov Helpdesk is 1-800-518-4726.

Fr Date: 03/28/08

Deadline: 05/27/08

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[Projects With Industry \( PWI\) Program CFDA 84.234S; Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards for Fiscal Year \(FY\) 2008](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17320>

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Fund For The Improvement Of Postsecondary Education

CFDA#: 84.116b

Amount: \$2,584,000

FR Date: 03/21/08

Page: 15147

Deadline: 05/05/08

Contact: Levenia Ishmell

Telephone: 202 502-7668

Summary: Applications are invited for the Office of Postsecondary Education; Overview Information; Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education - Comprehensive Program; for New Awards, for Fiscal Year (FY) 2008. The Comprehensive Program supports innovative grants and cooperative agreements to improve postsecondary education. It supports reforms, innovations, and significant improvements of postsecondary education that respond to problems of national significance and serve as national models. Applications for grants under this competition may be submitted electronically using the Grants.gov Apply site at

<http://www.Grants.gov>, or in paper format (if you qualify for an exception to the electronic submission requirement and submit, no later than two weeks (14 calendar days) before the application deadline date, you may mail or fax a written statement to the Department, explaining which of the two grounds for an exception prevent you from using the Internet to submit your application) by mail or hand delivery, on or before the May 05, 2008 deadline date. Therefore, we strongly recommend that you do not wait until the application deadline date to begin the application process through Grants.gov.

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**Rule Changes:**

**Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities - National Programs**

CFDA#: 84.184N

FR Date: 04/01/08

PAGE: 17868

CONTACT: Richard Lucey, Jr.  
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TELEPHONE: 202 205-

SUMMARY: Notice regarding the Office of Safe and Drug-Free Schools; Notice of Final Priority, Definitions, Requirements, and Selection Criteria. The Assistant Deputy Secretary for Safe and Drug-Free Schools announces a priority, definitions, requirements, and selection criteria under the Models of Exemplary, Effective, and Promising Alcohol or Other Drug Abuse Prevention Programs on College Campuses grant competition. The Assistant Deputy Secretary may use the priority, definitions, requirements, and selection criteria for competitions in fiscal year (FY) 2008 and later years.

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**Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunities Grants**

CFDA#: 84.007

FR Date: 03/21/08

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Contact: Michelle Belton

Telephone: 202 502-7821

Summary: Proposed Rulemaking Regarding The Office Of Postsecondary Education; The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program and Other Federal Student Aid Programs. The Secretary proposes to amend title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations to establish regulations for the Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program. The TEACH Grant program is a non-need-based grant program that provides up to \$4,000 per year to students who are enrolled in an eligible program and who agree to teach in a high-need field, at a low-income elementary or secondary school for at least four years within eight years of completing the program for which the TEACH Grant was awarded. If the grant recipient fails to complete the required teaching service, the TEACH grant is treated as a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan (Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan).

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**Federal Family Education Loans**

CFDA#: 84.032

FR Date: 03/21/08

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CONTACT: Michelle Belton

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SUMMARY: Proposed rulemaking regarding the Office of Postsecondary Education; The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program and Other Federal Student Aid Programs. The Secretary proposes to amend title 34 of

the Code of Federal Regulations to establish regulations for the Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program. The TEACH Grant program is a non-need-based grant program that provides up to \$4,000 per year to students who are enrolled in an eligible program and who agree to teach in a high-need field, at a low-income elementary or secondary school for at least four years within eight years of completing the program for which the TEACH Grant was awarded. If the grant recipient fails to complete the required teaching service, the TEACH grant is treated as a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan (Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan).

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PROGRAM TITLE: Federal Work-Study Program  
CFDA#: 84.033  
FR Date: 03/21/08  
CONTACT: Michelle Belton  
SUMMARY: Proposed rulemaking regarding the Office of Postsecondary Education; The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program and Other Federal Student Aid Programs. The Secretary proposes to amend title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations to establish regulations for the Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program. The TEACH Grant program is a non-need-based grant program that provides up to \$4,000 per year to students who are enrolled in an eligible program and who agree to teach in a high-need field, at a low-income elementary or secondary school for at least four years within eight years of completing the program for which the TEACH Grant was awarded. If the grant recipient fails to complete the required teaching service, the TEACH grant is treated as a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan (Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan).

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Federal Perkins Loan Program - Federal Capital Contributions  
CFDA#: 84.038  
FR Date: 03/21/08  
CONTACT: Michelle Belton  
SUMMARY: Proposed rulemaking regarding the Office of Postsecondary Education; The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program and Other Federal Student Aid Programs. The Secretary proposes to amend title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations to establish regulations for the Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program. The TEACH Grant program is a non-need-based grant program that provides up to \$4,000 per year to students who are enrolled in an eligible program and who agree to teach in a high-need field, at a low-income elementary or secondary school for at least four years within eight years of completing the program for which the TEACH Grant was awarded. If the grant recipient fails to complete the required teaching service, the TEACH grant is treated as a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan (Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan).

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Federal Pell Grant Program  
CFDA#: 84.063  
FR Date: 03/21/08  
CONTACT: Michelle Belton  
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TELEPHONE: 202 502-7821

SUMMARY: Proposed rulemaking regarding the Office of Postsecondary Education; The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program and Other Federal Student Aid Programs. The Secretary proposes to amend title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations to establish regulations for the Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program. The TEACH Grant program is a non-need-based grant program that provides up to \$4,000 per year to students who are enrolled in an eligible program and who agree to teach in a high-need field, at a low-income elementary or secondary school for at least four years within eight years of completing the program for which the TEACH Grant was awarded. If the grant recipient fails to complete the required teaching service, the TEACH grant is treated as a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan (Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan).

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PROGRAM TITLE: Leveraging Educational Assistance Partnership  
CFDA#: 84.069  
FR Date: 03/21/08  
CONTACT: Michelle Belton  
SUMMARY: Proposed rulemaking regarding the Office of Postsecondary Education; The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program and Other Federal Student Aid Programs. The Secretary proposes to amend title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations to establish regulations for the Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program. The TEACH Grant program is a non-need-based grant program that provides up to \$4,000 per year to students who are enrolled in an eligible program and who agree to teach in a high-need field, at a low-income elementary or secondary school for at least four years within eight years of completing the program for which the TEACH Grant was awarded. If the grant recipient fails to complete the required teaching service, the TEACH grant is treated as a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan (Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan).

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PROGRAM TITLE: Federal Direct Student Loan  
CFDA#: 84.268  
FR Date: 03/21/08  
CONTACT: Michelle Belton  
SUMMARY: Proposed rulemaking regarding the Office of Postsecondary Education; The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program and Other Federal Student Aid Programs. The Secretary proposes to amend title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations to establish regulations for the Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program. The TEACH Grant program is a non-need-based grant program that provides up to \$4,000 per year to students who are enrolled in an eligible program and who agree to teach in a high-need field, at a low-income elementary or secondary school for at least four years within eight years of completing the program for which the TEACH Grant was awarded. If the grant recipient fails to complete the required teaching service, the TEACH grant is treated as a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan (Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan).

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TEACH Grant Program  
CFDA#: 84.379  
FR Date: 03/21/08  
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CONTACT: Michelle Belton

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SUMMARY: Proposed rulemaking regarding the Office of Postsecondary Education; The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program and Other Federal Student Aid Programs. The Secretary proposes to amend title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations to establish regulations for the Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program. The TEACH Grant program is a non-need-based grant program that provides up to \$4,000 per year to students who are enrolled in an eligible program and who agree to teach in a high-need field, at a low-income elementary or secondary school for at least four years within eight years of completing the program for which the TEACH Grant was awarded. If the grant recipient fails to complete the required teaching service, the TEACH grant is treated as a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan (Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan).

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**U.S. Department of Energy**

**Modifications**

FY08 Vehicle Technologies Program Wide FOA (Solid State Energy Conversion for Vehicular HVAC and Waste Heat Recovery) Modification 3  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17014>

FY08 Vehicle Technologies Program Wide FOA (Materials and Manufacturing Technologies for High Energy Lithium-Ion Batteries) Modification 3  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17015>

National Energy Technology Laboratory  
FY08 Vehicle Technologies Program Wide FOA (Fleet Evaluation and Factory Installation of Aerodynamic Heavy Duty Truck Trailers) Modification 4  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17016>

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**Environmental Protection Agency**

Environmental Justice Small Grants Program Grant

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EPA-OECA-OEJ-08-01
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Apr 08, 2008
Creation Date:	Apr 09, 2008
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 30, 2008 Please refer to the full announcement, including Section IV for additional information on submission

methods and due dates.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jun 30, 2008 Please refer to the full announcement, including Section IV for additional information on submission methods and due dates.

Archive Date: Jul 30, 2008

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Environment

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 40

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$800,000

Award Ceiling: \$20,000

Award Floor:

CFDA Number: 66.604 -- Environmental Justice Small Grant Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants

Others: See Section III of the announcement for additional eligibility information.

Description

The Environmental Justice Small Grants Program (EJSG) is designed to provide funding for eligible applicants working on, or planning to work on, a project that addresses a local environmental and public health issue within an affected community. The EJSG Program is a multi-statute program designed to help communities understand and address their exposure to multiple environmental harms and risks.

Link to Full Announcement

[Environmental Justice Small Grants Program -  
http://www.epa.gov/compliance/environmentaljustice/grants/ej-smgrants.html](http://www.epa.gov/compliance/environmentaljustice/grants/ej-smgrants.html)

<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41212>

Brownfields Assessment, Cleanup and Revolving Loan Fund Grants. The CERCLA requires the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to publish guidance to assist applicants in preparing proposals for grants to assess and clean up brownfield sites. EPA’s Brownfields Program provides funds to empower states, communities, tribes and nonprofits to prevent, inventory, assess, clean up and reuse brownfield sites.

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**Department of Health and Human Services**

Office of Public Health and Science  
2008 Adolescent Family Life Demonstration Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	PA-APH-08-021
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Mar 28, 2008
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 11, 2008    Electronic grant application submissions must be submitted no later than 11:00 p.m. Eastern Time on the deadline date specified in the DATES section of the announcement using one of the electronic submission mechanisms specified below. All required hardcopy original signatures and mail-in items must be received by the Office of Grants Management, Office of Public Health and Science (OPHS), Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) c/o Grant Application Center, 1515 Wilson Blvd., Suite 100, Arlington, VA 22209, no later than 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on the next business day after the deadline date specified in the DATES section of the announcement. Applications will not be considered valid until all electronic application components, hardcopy original signatures, and mail-in items are received by the OPHS Office of Grants Management according to the deadlines specified above. Paper grant application submissions must be submitted no later than 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on the deadline date specified in the DATES section of the announcement. The address to be used for paper application submissions is Office of Grants Management, Office of Public Health and Science (OPHS), Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) c/o Grant Application Center, 1515 Wilson Blvd., Suite 100, Arlington, VA 22209.

Archive Date:	Jul 11, 2008
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Health
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	5
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$800,000
Award Floor:	\$600,000
CFDA Number:	93.995 -- Adolescent Family Life Demonstration Projects
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes

**Eligible Applicants**

Any public or private nonprofit organization or agency is eligible to apply for a grant. However, only those organizations or agencies that demonstrate the capability of providing and thoroughly evaluating a multi-site model as stipulated in this announcement will be considered for grant awards. Applicants must also propose services that meet the statutory requirements in order to be considered. Faith-based and community-based organizations are encouraged to apply for AFL grants. Please note, however, that AFL funds may not be used for inherently religious activities, such as worship, religious instruction, and proselytization. If an organization engages in such activities, they must be offered separately in time or location from the program funded under the AFL program and participation must be voluntary for program beneficiaries. An AFL program, in providing services and outreach related to program services, cannot discriminate against current or prospective program beneficiaries on the basis of religion, a religious belief, a refusal to hold a religious belief, or a refusal to actively participate in a religious practice. Please also note that all adolescents, regardless of race or religion, shall be eligible to participate in an AFL program. Applications will be accepted from organizations that are currently operating AFL prevention demonstration programs if they propose a multi-site model with a randomized evaluation design (if possible) as stipulated in this announcement.

**Description**

The Office of Population Affairs (OPA), Office of Adolescent Pregnancy Programs requests applications for Adolescent Family Life (AFL) prevention demonstration grants, as authorized by Title XX of the Public Health Service (PHS) Act, 42 U.S.C. 300z et seq. These grants are for projects to develop, implement and evaluate a multi-site primary abstinence education program targeting youth ages 12-18, as compared with a multi-site “enriched” program model. This announcement defines a primary abstinence education program as 15-25 hours of abstinence education and supportive services and activities conducted within one year with the same participants. OAPP has selected 15-25 hours as a range for a primary abstinence education program based on several

studies suggesting that this amount of dosage can have a positive effect on youth [see Connell, D.B., Turner, R.R. & Mason E.F. (1985) Summary of findings of the school health education evaluation: health promotion effectiveness, implementation and costs.” Journal of School Health, 55 (8), 316-321) and Moore, D.A. & Sugland, B.W. (1997). Using behavioral theories to design abstinence programs. Children and Youth Services Review, 19(5/6), 485-500].

**Link to Full Announcement**

[2008 Adolescent Family Life \(AFL\) Demonstration Projects](http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17324)  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17324>

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National Institutes of Health  
Cancer Education Grants Program (R25) Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	PAR-08-120
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Mar 28, 2008
Creation Date:	Mar 28, 2008
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 07, 2011
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 07, 2011
Archive Date:	Oct 08, 2011
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Health Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	
Award Floor:	
CFDA Number:	93.398 -- Cancer Research Manpower
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

**Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)  
For profit organizations other than small businesses  
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)  
Private institutions of higher education  
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than

institutions of higher education  
Small businesses  
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education  
State governments  
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions Faith-based or Community-based Organizations Hispanic-serving Institutions Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs) U.S. Territory or Possession

**Description**

-Purpose. This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), issued by the National Cancer Institute (NCI), encourages applications for the development of: (i) innovative cancer education programs; and (ii) cancer research dissemination projects that can be completed within 5 years. Specifically, the types of Cancer Education Grant Programs (CEGPs) that may be supported include: (1) innovative educational programs intended to motivate biomedical and other health science students to pursue cancer related careers; (2) short courses to update cancer research scientists in new scientific methods, technologies and findings; (3) training of cancer care clinicians and community health care providers in evidence-based cancer prevention and control approaches; and (4) development of effective innovative education (dissemination) approaches to translate knowledge gained from science (discovery) into public health, and community applications (delivery). - Mechanism of Support. This FOA will use the NIH Research Education (R25) grant mechanism. Research education programs may not be transferred from one institution to another, unless strongly justified (see Section VI.2). -Funds Available and Anticipated Number of Awards. Awards issued under this FOA are contingent upon the availability of funds and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications.

**Link to Full Announcement**

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-08-120.html>  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17310>

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Administration for Children and Families  
Head Start Innovation and Improvement Projects Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: HHS-2008-ACF-OHS-YD-0025  
Opportunity Category: Discretionary  
Posted Date: Apr 11, 2008  
Creation Date: Apr 11, 2008  
Original Closing Date for Applications: Jun 09, 2008 See link to full announcement for details. IMPORTANT NOTE: Applications submitted electronically via Grants.gov must be submitted no later than 4:30 p.m., eastern time, on the due date referenced above.  
Current Closing Date for Applications: Jun 09, 2008 See link to full announcement for details. IMPORTANT NOTE: Applications submitted electronically via Grants.gov must be submitted no later than 4:30 p.m., eastern time, on the due date referenced above.  
Archive Date: Jul 09, 2008  
Funding Instrument Type: Grant  
Category of Funding Activity: Income Security and Social Services  
Category Explanation:  
Expected Number of Awards: 57  
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$11,400,000  
Award Ceiling: \$3,000,000  
Award Floor: \$0  
CFDA Number: 93.600 -- Head Start  
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

**Eligible Applicants**

- State governments
- County governments
- City or township governments
- Special district governments
- Independent school districts
- Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
- Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
- Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities
- Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
- Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
- Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
- Private institutions of higher education

For profit organizations other than small businesses  
Small businesses

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Additional eligibility types: Local Governments Regional Organizations U.S. Territory or Possession Indian/Native American Tribally Designated Organizations Hispanic-Serving Institutions Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs) Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions See full announcement for additional information on eligibility under each of the seven priority areas. Faith-based and community organizations are eligible to apply. Foreign entities are not eligible under this announcement.

**Description**

The Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Office of Head Start (OHS) invites applications from organizations for financial support for Head Start Innovation and Improvement Projects that address the promotion of promising practices in the Head Start program and other priorities that meet needs related to the comprehensive nature of Head Start. Although OHS welcomes applications in any area that will result in improved outcomes for Head Start eligible children and families, the following seven specific priority areas will be addressed in this cycle of funding. The focus will be on developing new concepts, products, practices and projects relating to the important priorities and needs in the following areas; National Head Start Center for Physical Development and Outdoor Play, Grandparents Raising Head Start Grandchildren, Healthcare Literacy, Mental Health Intervention for Children and Families, Inclusion of Children with Disabilities, Infant and Toddler Online Degree, and an Open Category. The "Open Category" will be available for programs to apply for funding to promote or expand promising practices in non-specified areas.

**Link to Full Announcement**

<http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/HHS-2008-ACF-OHS-YD-0025.html>  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41251>

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Social Security Administration	CFDA#: 96.007	AMOUNT: \$7,500,000
Social Security - Research and Demonstration		
FR Date: 04/03/08	PAGE: 18313	
DEADLINE: 06/09/08		
CONTACT: Gary Stammer (for non-programmatic information)		
TELEPHONE: 410 965-9501		
CONTACT: Mary Biddle (for non-programmatic information)		



TELEPHONE: 410 965-9503  
CONTACT: Sharmila Choudhury (for program content information)  
TELEPHONE: 202 358-6261

SUMMARY: Applications are invited for the Social Security Administration (SSA); Retirement Research Consortium Request for Applications (RFA); Program Announcement No. SSA-ORES-08-01. The growing share of older Americans in the population has profound long term effects on Social Security. Social Security’s Board of Trustees projects that the program will be in poor fiscal shape over the long term at currently legislated payroll tax and benefit levels as a result of demographic changes. Prospective applicants are asked to submit by May 9, 2008, a letter of intent (LOI) that includes (1) this program announcement number and title; (2) a brief description of the proposed center; (3) the name, postal and e-mail addresses, and the telephone and fax numbers of the Center Director; and (4) the identities of the key personnel and participating institutions. The letter of intent should be sent to: Sharmila Choudhury, RRC Letter of Intent, Office of Retirement and Disability Policy, Social Security Administration, 500 E St., SW., ITC Room 913, Washington, DC 20254-0001. E-mail: [Sharmila.Choudhury@ssa.gov](mailto:Sharmila.Choudhury@ssa.gov). Applicants must submit applications through [www.grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov) by the closing date of June 9, 2008. However, when the SSA Grants Management Team approves the submission of a mailed application due to extenuating circumstances, applications may be mailed or hand-delivered to: Social Security Administration, Office of Acquisition and Grants, Grants Management Team, Attention: SSA-ORES-08-1, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor-Rear Entrance, 7111 Security Blvd., Baltimore, MD 21244.

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Nursing Education Loan Repayment Program (NELRP)	
Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number: 93.908	
Program web site	<a href="http://bhpr.hrsa.gov/nursing/loanrepay.htm">http://bhpr.hrsa.gov/nursing/loanrepay.htm</a>
Sponsor	<a href="#">Bureau of Health Professions</a>
Deadlines	April 30, 2008
Purpose	NELRP is a competitive program that repays 60 percent of the qualifying loan balance of registered nurses selected for funding in exchange for 2 years of service at a critical shortage facility. Participants may be eligible to work a third year and receive an additional 25 percent of the qualifying loan balance.  Authorized by Section 846 of the Public Health Service Act, as amended, the purpose of the NELRP is to assist in the recruitment and retention of professional nurses dedicated to providing health care to underserved populations.  New for 2008: Applicants must be employed at a non-profit critical shortage facility to be eligible.

Eligibility	<p>New for 2008: Applicants must be employed at a non-profit critical shortage facility to be eligible</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▫ Have received a baccalaureate or associate degree in nursing (or an equivalent degree), a diploma in nursing or a graduate degree in nursing from an accredited school of nursing in a State</li><li>▫ Have outstanding qualifying loans obtained for nursing education leading to a degree or diploma in nursing as specified above</li><li>▫ Have completed the nursing education program for which the loan balance applies</li><li>▫ Are a U.S. citizen, U.S. national or a lawful permanent resident of the U.S.</li><li>▫ Are employed full time (32 hours or more per week) at a critical shortage facility</li><li>▫ Are employed at a non-profit facility (effective October 1, 2007)</li><li>▫ Have a current permanent unrestricted license as an RN in the State in which you intends to practice or be authorized to practice in that State pursuant to the Nurse Licensure Compact (not a U.S. Government Web site) and</li><li>▫ Have submitted a complete NELRP Application, a signed NELRP Contract, supplemental forms and all required documentation by the NELRP application deadline</li></ul>
Geographic coverage	Nationwide
Amount of funding	Funding amounts are not specified.
Application process	<p>An on-line application is available on the Program web site.</p> <p><b>For more information contact:</b> Jacqueline Brown, 301-443-4122 or CallCenter@hrsa.gov or 1-800-221-9393, Monday through Friday (except Federal holidays), 9 am to 5:30 pm ET.</p>

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Development of Comprehensive Drug/Alcohol and Mental Health Treatment Systems for Persons Who Are Homeless

Nonprofits, local governments, and tribes can apply by May 29 for new Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration funds that can be used for services linked to housing, though not for housing costs.  
Application deadline: May 29, 2008  
Grants to enable communities to expand and strengthen their treatment services for homeless individuals with substance abuse disorders, mental illness, or with co-occurring substance abuse disorders and mental illness.

Program web site	<a href="http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants/2008/ti_08_013.aspx">http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants/2008/ti_08_013.aspx</a>
Sponsor	<u>Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration</u>
Deadlines	May 29, 2008
Purpose	<p>The purpose of this program is to expand and strengthen treatment services for persons who are homeless (including those who are chronically homeless), who also have substance use disorders, mental disorders, or co-occurring substance use and mental disorders. To address the broad needs of this population, the Center for Substance Abuse Treatment seeks to increase the number of homeless persons placed in stable housing and who receive treatment services for alcohol, substance use, and co-occurring disorders. SAMHSA/CSAT is targeting \$4.5 million per year within the Treatment for Homeless Program for services in supportive housing.</p> <p>The primary goal is to link treatment services with housing programs and other services (e.g., primary care). “Homeless” persons are those who lack a fixed, regular, adequate nighttime residence, including persons whose primary nighttime residence is: a supervised public or private shelter designed to provide temporary living accommodations; a time-limited/nonpermanent transitional housing arrangement for individuals engaged in mental health and/or substance use disorder treatment; or a public or private facility not designed for, or ordinarily used as, a regular sleeping accommodation. “Homeless” also includes “doubled-up” - a residential status that places individuals at imminent risk for becoming homeless - defined as sharing another person’s dwelling on a temporary basis where continued tenancy is contingent upon the hospitality of the primary leaseholder or owner and can be rescinded at any time without notice. “Chronically Homeless” persons are defined as unaccompanied homeless individuals with a substance use disorder, mental disorder, or co-occurring substance use and mental disorder, who have either been continuously homeless for a year or more or have had at least four</p>

	(4) episodes of homelessness in the past three (3) years.
Eligibility	Eligible applicants are domestic public and private nonprofit entities. For example, local governments, federally recognized American Indian/Alaska Native tribes and tribal organizations, urban Indian organizations, public or private universities and colleges; and community- and faith-based organizations may apply. Tribal organization means the recognized body of any AI/AN tribe; any legally established organization of American Indians/Alaska Natives which is controlled, sanctioned, or chartered by such governing body or which is democratically elected by the adult members of the Indian community to be served by such organization and which includes the maximum participation of American Indians/Alaska Natives in all phases of its activities. Consortia of tribal organizations are eligible to apply, but each participating entity must indicate its approval. The statutory authority for this program prohibits grants to for-profit agencies and to States. Also, grantees from the FY 2004, 2005 and 2006 cohorts for the Treatment for Homeless program are not eligible to apply for this program.
Geographic coverage	Nationwide
Amount of funding	Anticipated Number of Awards: Treatment for Homeless-General - Up to 13 Treatment for Homeless-Services in Supportive Housing - Up to 12 Anticipated Award Amount: Up to \$400,000 per year Of the \$10 million available for the Treatment for Homeless program, SAMHSA/CSAT is targeting up to \$4.5 million per year for services in supportive housing provided that the applications are of sufficient quality. Proposed budgets cannot exceed \$400,000 in total costs (direct and indirect) in any year of the proposed project.
Application process	The application is available on the SAMHSA web site at: <a href="http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants/2008/ti_08_013.aspx">http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants/2008/ti_08_013.aspx</a>  For more information contact:

For questions on *program issues*, contact:

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[http://www.raconline.org/funding/funding\\_details.php?funding\\_id=831](http://www.raconline.org/funding/funding_details.php?funding_id=831)

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Preventing Unplanned Pregnancy in Community Colleges  
Application deadline: Jun 16, 2008

Funding to develop and assess various ways to reduce unplanned pregnancy among community college students.

Program web site	<a href="http://www.thenationalcampaign.org/rfps/CCRFP_FINA_L.pdf">http://www.thenationalcampaign.org/rfps/CCRFP_FINA_L.pdf</a>
Sponsor	<a href="#">National Campaign to Prevent Teen and Unplanned Pregnancy</a>
Deadlines	June 16, 2008
Purpose	The National Campaign is seeking proposals that develop and assess various ways to reduce unplanned pregnancy among community college students, with a primary focus on unmarried women and men in their twenties.
Eligibility	Eligible applicants include accredited community colleges (either on an individual basis or in a consortia), councils of the American Association of Community Colleges, professional organizations, or others nonprofit organizations (including research organizations) in conjunction with community colleges.
Geographic coverage	Nationwide
Amount of funding	Three grants—each spanning 2 years—with an average award of\$100,000 each. The National Campaign is structuring this award to include a modest “match” from the grantees. Applicants are to provide matching

funds of at least 10% of the requested amount (for example, for an award of \$100,000, the match provided by the community college should be at least \$10,000). Match may be in-kind or cash, although preference will be given to cash match.

**Application process**    The application is available on the Program web site.

**For more information contact:**  
For all questions regarding this grant, please contact Melissa Spindler at mspindler@thenc.org or by phone at 202.478.8505.

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**Research:**

Center for Disease Control and Prevention  
Grant Funding Opportunity Announcements (FOAs)  
<http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/FOAs.htm>

[Research on Emergency Medical Services for Children](#)  
Application deadline: Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.  
Grants to improve the quality and quantity of research related to emergency medical services for children (EMSC).

**Purpose**    This multi-agency program Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is designed to improve the quality and quantity of research related to emergency medical services for children (EMSC), with the goal of reducing morbidity and mortality in children through improved care delivery. This funding opportunity invites the submission of applications dealing with the following areas of research included under the term EMSC: prevention research to reduce the need for emergency care; clinical research to ensure that children receive high-quality and appropriate medical, nursing and mental health care in an emergency; health systems research, from pre-hospital care, to the emergency department, to in-patient care and return to the community; cost-effectiveness analyses; and methodological studies to improve the quality of research conducted.

**Eligibility**    You may submit (an) application(s) to the NIH if your organization has any of the following characteristics: Public/State-Controlled Institution of Higher Education; Private Institution of Higher Education; Nonprofit With 501(c)(3) IRS Status (Other Than Institution of Higher Education); Nonprofit Without 501(c)(3) IRS Status (Other Than Institution of Higher Education); Small Business; For-profit Organization (Other Than Small Business); State Government; U.S. Territory or Possession; Indian/Native American Tribal Government (Federally Recognized); Indian/Native

American Tribal Government (Other Than Federally Recognized); Indian/Native American Tribally Designated Organization; and/or Nondomestic (non-U.S.) Entity (Foreign Organization); Hispanic-serving Institution; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs); Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions; and Regional Organizations Other(s): Eligible agencies of the Federal government; Faith-based or community based organizations. For AHRQ, applications may be submitted by domestic and foreign, public and private nonprofit organizations including universities, clinics, units of State and local governments, firms, and foundations. Organizations described in section 501(c) 4 of the Internal Revenue Code that engage in lobbying are not eligible. Applications may be from a single institution or may include arrangements with one or more institutions (for example, consortia, clinical trials cooperative group) if appropriate.

<b>Geographic coverage</b>	Nationwide
<b>Amount of funding</b>	Because the nature and scope of the proposed research will vary from application to application, it is anticipated that the size and duration of each award will also vary. Although the financial plans of the Institutes and Centers (ICs) provide support for this program, awards pursuant to this funding opportunity are contingent upon the availability of funds and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications.
<b>Application process</b>	Application instructions are available on the program web site.  <b>For more information contact:</b> Contacts for scientific/research, peer review, and financial or grants management issues are listed in Section VII: Agency Contacts on the program web site.

[http://www.raconline.org/funding/funding\\_details.php?funding\\_id=831](http://www.raconline.org/funding/funding_details.php?funding_id=831)

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National Institutes of Health  
Minority Access to Research Careers (MARC) Ancillary Training Activities (T36) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17296>

National Institutes of Health  
Epidemiology of Drug Abuse (R03)Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17321>

National Institutes of Health  
Genome-Wide Association Analysis of Existing Data Sets for Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases (R01)Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17317>

National Institutes of Health  
Epidemiology of Drug Abuse (R01) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17318>

National Institutes of Health  
Epidemiology of Drug Abuse (R21) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17319>

National Institutes of Health  
Symptom Interactions in Cancer and Immune Disorders (R01) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17313>

National Institutes of Health  
Symptom Interactions in Cancer and Immune Disorders (R21) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17314>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Initiatives to Educate State Officials and Policy Makers about Priority Public Health Issues Related to the Prevention and Control of Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs) and Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) and Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17306>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Addressing Emerging Infectious Diseases in the Republic of India Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17307>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Building Capacity and Networks to Address Emerging Infectious Diseases in the Americas Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17308>

Department of Health and Human Services  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Jordan Applied Epidemiology Project (JAEP) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17302>

National Institutes of Health  
NIDCR Individual NRSA Predoctoral Dental Scientist Fellowship (F30) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17303>

National Institutes of Health  
Multicenter AIDS Cohort Study (MACS), Limited Competition (U01) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17297>

National Institutes of Health



Tumor Stem Cells in Cancer Biology, Prevention, and Therapy (P01) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17298>

National Institutes of Health  
Family Planning Service Delivery Improvement Research (R01) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17291>

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Administration for Children and Families  
Standing Announcement for Unaccompanied Alien Children Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	HHS-2008-ACF-ORR-ZU-0119
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Apr 08, 2008
Creation Date:	Apr 08, 2008
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 24, 2009    See link to full announcement for details. IMPORTANT NOTE: Applications submitted electronically via Grants.gov must be submitted no later than 4:30 p.m., eastern time, on the due date referenced above.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 24, 2009    See link to full announcement for details. IMPORTANT NOTE: Applications submitted electronically via Grants.gov must be submitted no later than 4:30 p.m., eastern time, on the due date referenced above.
Archive Date:	Apr 23, 2009
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Income Security and Social Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	8
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$35,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$30,000,000
Award Floor:	\$500,000
CFDA Number:	93.676 -- Unaccompanied Alien Children Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

Eligible Applicants

Eligibility is open to all types of domestic applicants other than individuals. Non-profit organizations (including faith-based and community organizations) and for-profit organizations are eligible to apply. Organizations must be appropriately licensed (at the time of submission of the application) as facilities for the provision of shelter care and other related services to dependent children. For-profit organizations must clearly demonstrate that they are only charging the program actual costs incurred. Faith-based and community organizations are eligible to apply. Foreign entities are not eligible under this announcement.

Description

This announces a Modification to the published Standing announcement. Please note that the due date for applications has changed from a postmark deadline to a "received by" deadline. Please see the full modification to the published Standing announcement at [http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/Modification\\_to\\_ZU0119.html](http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/Modification_to_ZU0119.html).

Link to Full Announcement

<http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/HHS-2008-ACF-ORR-ZU-0119.html>  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41209>

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**Modifications:**

National Institutes of Health  
Cancer Education Grants Program (R25) Modification 2  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=10823>

Administration for Children and Families Assets for Independence Demonstration Program Modification 1  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=16548>

Health Resources & Services Administration Service Area Competitions Modification 3  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=16981>

Health Resources & Services Administration Service Area Competitions Modification 3  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=16982>

Health Resources & Services Administration Service Area Competitions Modification 3  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=16983>

Health Resources & Services Administration Service Area Competitions Modification 3  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=16984>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Strengthening Safe Hospitals and Clinics in HIV/AIDS Prevention Activities, Services, and Practices in the Republic of Mozambique under PEPFAR Modification 2  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=16891>

Health Resources & Services Administration Service Area Competitions Modification 5  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=16981>

Social Security Administration  
Office of Policy; ORES  
SSA Retirement Research Consortium  
Modification 2  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41172>

**Program Instruction:**

ACF  Administration for Children and Families	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	
	1. Log No. ACF-PI-HS-08-02	2. Issuance Date: 04/14/08
	3. Originating Office: Office of Head Start	
	4. Key Word: Background Checks	

**TO:** Head Start and Early Head Start Grantees and Delegate Agencies

**SUBJECT:** Background checks

**INSTRUCTION:**  
As you know, on December 12, 2007 the President signed a bill reauthorizing the Head Start program. Section 648A.(g) of the new Head Start Act requires that before a Head Start agency employs an individual, the agency shall--

- (1) conduct an interview of such individual;
- (2) verify the personal and employment references provided by such individual; and
- (3) obtain--
  - (A) a State, tribal, or Federal criminal record check covering all jurisdictions where the grantee provides Head Start services to children;
  - (B) a State, tribal, or Federal criminal record check as required by the law of the jurisdiction where the grantee provides Head Start services; or
  - (C) a criminal record check as otherwise required by Federal law.

(These requirements are very similar to current regulatory requirements found in 45 CFR Part 1301.31(b)).

Despite the new statutory requirement and the long standing regulatory requirement, the Office of Head Start has determined through monitoring reviews that several Head Start programs have not conducted background checks on some or all of their Head Start staff. Every Head Start program is required to assure background checks have been conducted on all Head Start employees. If there are any employees for whom background checks have not been conducted, they must be done immediately. Any Head Start grantee found not to have conducted background checks for all of its permanent Head Start employees will be designated a deficient grantee.

Head Start serves some of our nation’s most vulnerable children. All Head Start programs have an obligation to ensure that they are not hiring individuals who could pose a threat to the safety of enrolled children but rather that they are hiring individuals well suited to work with young children and their families.

Please direct any questions on this Program Instruction to your OHS Regional Office.

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Rule Changes:

Medicare - Supplementary Medical Insurance  
CFDA#: 93.774                      FR Date: 04/07/08                      PAGE: 18918  
CONTACT: Denise M. Buenning                      TELEPHONE: 410 786-6711  
CONTACT: Andrew Morgan                      TELEPHONE: 410 786-2543  
SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services; Medicare Program; Standards for E-Prescribing Under Medicare Part D and Identification of Backward Compatible Version of Adopted Standard for E-Prescribing and the Medicare Prescription Drug Program (Version 8.1). This final rule adopts uniform standards for medication history, formulary and benefits, and fill status notification (RxFill) for the Medicare Part D electronic prescribing (e-prescribing) drug program as required by section 1860D-4(e) (4) (d) of the Social Security Act (the Act). In addition, we are adopting the National Provider Identifier (NPI) as a standard for identifying health care providers in e-prescribing transactions.

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Medicare - Hospital Insurance  
CFDA#: 93.773  
FR Date: 04/03/08                      PAGE: 18176  
CONTACT: Deondra Moseley                      TELEPHONE: 410 786-4577  
CONTACT: Meghan Elrington                      TELEPHONE: 410 786-8675  
SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services; Medicare Program; Modification to the Weighting Methodology Used To Calculate the Low-Income Benchmark Amount. This final rule changes the weighting methodology used to calculate the low-income benchmark premium amount (benchmark) for 2009 and thereafter. Under this final rule, the benchmark weighting methodology is adjusted so that the relative weights of the Medicare Advantage Prescription Drug

(MA-PD) plan premiums and Prescription Drug Plan (PDP) plan premiums in the low-income benchmark premium amount reflect the distribution of enrollment of beneficiaries eligible for the low-income subsidy in each plan.

Medicare - Hospital Insurance

CFDA#: 93.773

FR Date: 03/17/08

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CONTACT: Arrah Tabe-Bedward (issues related to re-openings)

TELEPHONE: 410 786-7129

CONTACT: Michael Lipinski (issues related to ALJ level appeals)

TELEPHONE: 216 615-4084

CONTACT: Mary Peltzer (issues related to MAC level appears)

TELEPHONE: 202 565-0169

SUMMARY: Proposed rule regarding the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services; Medicare Program; Application of Certain Appeals Provisions to the Medicare Prescription Drug Appeals Process. This rule proposed the procedures that the Department of Health and Human Services would follow at the Administrative Law Judge and Medicare Appeals Council levels in deciding appeals brought by individuals who have enrolled in the Medicare prescription drug benefit program and the reopening procedures that would be followed at all levels of appeal.

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Medicare - Supplementary Medical Insurance

CFDA#: 93.774

FR Date: 04/03/08

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CONTACT: Deondra Moseley

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Medical Assistance Program  
CFDA#: 93.778      FR Date: 04/04/08      PAGE: 18676  
CONTACT: Kathy Poisal      TELEPHONE: 410 786-5940  
SUMMARY: Proposed rule regarding the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services; Medicaid Program: Home and Community-Based State Plan Services. This proposed rule would amend the Medicaid regulations to define and describe home and community-based State plan services implementing new section 1915(i) of the Social Security Act as added by section 6086 of the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005.

Medical Assistance Program  
CFDA#: 93.778  
FR Date: 03/17/08      PAGE: 14342  
CONTACT: Arrah Tabe-Bedward (issues related to re-openings)  
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Social Security - Disability Insurance  
CFDA#: 96.001      FR Date: 03/18/08      PAGE: 14570  
CONTACT: Paul Scott      TELEPHONE: 410 966-1192  
SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Social Security Administration (SSA); Revised Medical Criteria for Evaluating Immune System Disorders. We are revising the criteria in the Listing of Impairments (the listings) that we use to evaluate claims involving immune system disorders. We apply these criteria when you claim benefits based on disability under title II and title XVI of the Social Security Act (the Act). The revisions reflect our adjudicative experience, as well as advances in medical knowledge, treatment, and methods of evaluating immune system disorders.

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Social Security - Retirement Insurance  
CFDA#: 96.002  
FR Date: 03/18/08      PAGE: 14570  
CONTACT: Paul Scott      TELEPHONE: 410 966-1192

SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Social Security Administration (SSA); Revised Medical Criteria for Evaluating Immune System Disorders. We are revising the criteria in the Listing of Impairments (the listings) that we use to evaluate claims involving immune system disorders. We apply these criteria when you claim benefits based on disability under title II and title XVI of the Social Security Act (the Act). The revisions reflect our adjudicative experience, as well as advances in medical knowledge, treatment, and methods of evaluating immune system disorders.

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Social Security - Survivors Insurance  
CFDA#: 96.004  
FR Date: 03/18/08  
CONTACT: Paul Scott  
PAGE: 14570  
TELEPHONE: 410 966-1192  
SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Social Security Administration (SSA); Revised Medical Criteria for Evaluating Immune System Disorders. We are revising the criteria in the Listing of Impairments (the listings) that we use to evaluate claims involving immune system disorders. We apply these criteria when you claim benefits based on disability under title II and title XVI of the Social Security Act (the Act). The revisions reflect our adjudicative experience, as well as advances in medical knowledge, treatment, and methods of evaluating immune system disorders.

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Supplemental Security Income  
CFDA#: 96.006  
FR Date: 03/18/08  
CONTACT: Paul Scott  
PAGE: 14570  
TELEPHONE: 410 966-1192  
SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Social Security Administration (SSA); Revised Medical Criteria for Evaluating Immune System Disorders. We are revising the criteria in the Listing of Impairments (the listings) that we use to evaluate claims involving immune system disorders. We apply these criteria when you claim benefits based on disability under title II and title XVI of the Social Security Act (the Act). The revisions reflect our adjudicative experience, as well as advances in medical knowledge, treatment, and methods of evaluating immune system disorders.

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**Department of Homeland Security**

The Department of Homeland Security (DHS), the newest federal agency, spends millions of dollars each year. Much of that spending is used to purchase goods and services that are vital to the functioning of the Department and the security of our nation. I am certain that many of your constituents have expressed an interest in learning how to do business with DHS yet have been frustrated in their attempts. I routinely hear complaints from business owners whose experiences have led them to believe that that are shut out of the process. I am committed to working diligently to resolve this situation. Notwithstanding these efforts, a part of the solution rests with providing business owners with the kind of critical information that can aid their success. To that end, I wanted to make you aware of a monthly e-publication that I developed, which you and your constituents may find helpful in addressing some of

these concerns. You can retrieve this month’s newsletter by visiting:  
<http://homeland.house.gov/SiteDocuments/dhsbizopsmarch.pdf>

Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division  
DHS Homeland Security Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (HS-Stem)  
Career Development Grants

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DHS-2008-ST-104-001
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Apr 11, 2008
Creation Date:	Apr 11, 2008
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 16, 2008
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 16, 2008
Archive Date:	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	12
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$3,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$0
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number:	97.104 -- Homeland Security-related Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (HS STEM) Career Development Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

**Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Eligible institutions include U.S. accredited colleges and universities with established homeland security-related science, technology, engineering and mathematics (HS-STEM) research and/or education programs. Preference will be given to institutions in the DHS Homeland Security Centers of Excellence program and its affiliated academic institutions.

**Agency Name**



**Description**

The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Science and Technology Directorate (S&T) invites applications from colleges and universities with established homeland security-related science, technology, engineering and mathematics (HS-STEM) curricula in the research areas listed below to establish scientific career development awards to students in priority HS-STEM programs of study. DHS intends to establish an HS-STEM Career Development grants (CDG) program to enable colleges and universities to award scholarships and fellowships to qualified undergraduate and graduate students in HS-STEM disciplines who intend to pursue homeland security professional and scientific careers. Recipients of the scholarships and fellowships must major in a STEM discipline or either minor in an HS-STEM research area, receive a certificate in an HS-STEM research area or declare their concentration in an HS-STEM research area from their home institution. Research areas eligible for support include: 1. Explosives Detection, Mitigation and Response; 2. Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences; 3. Risk and Decision Sciences; 4. Human Factors Aspects of Technology; 5. Chemical Threats and Countermeasures; 6. Biological Threats and Countermeasures; 7. Food and Agriculture Security; 8. Transportation Security; 9. Border Security; 10. Immigration Studies; 11. Maritime and Port Security; 12. Infrastructure Protection; 13. Natural Disasters and Related Geophysical Studies; 14. Emergency Preparedness and Response; 15. Communications and Interoperability; 16. Advanced Data Analysis and Visualization. Each institution may submit only one application per department. Institutions may submit applications from different departments. However, only one grant will be awarded to one department in each winning institution, and only for research in one of the sixteen HS-STEM areas listed above. Institutions that have received CDG awards in the past, or that will be applying for subsequent awards may only submit an application from the same department as the initial award. DHS intends to give preference to institutions included in the existing DHS Homeland Security Centers of Excellence program and its affiliated academic institutions., (for a list see <http://www.dhs.gov/xres/programs>) because it is both efficient and appropriate to train the next generation of scientists and HS-STEM professionals through research and education programs already funded by DHS to meet its HS-STEM needs. As part of its mission, DHS S&T is responsible for developing scientific research and technology programs to protect the Nation from terrorist threats and the consequences of natural disasters. DHS S&T is also responsible for supporting United States leadership in science and technology. To ensure homeland security research programs continue into the future, DHS S&T will support grants to qualified undergraduate and graduate students in homeland security-related fields who will use their education and training to become the next generation of scientists and technology leaders. These grants will support the best programs that will train future homeland security-oriented scientists and technologists and ensure their placement in HS-STEM careers.

**Link to Full Announcement**

<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41255>

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Modifications:

Department of Homeland Security - FEMA Region 2  
Map Modernization Management Support Program Modification 1  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=40802>

Department of Homeland Security - FEMA Region 2  
Cooperating Technical Partner Program Modification 1  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=40804>

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**Department of Housing and Urban Development**

Capacity Building for Community Development and Affordable Housing Grant  
**CFDA#:** 14.252 **AMOUNT:** \$36,950,000  
**PROGRAM TITLE:** Section 4 Capacity Building for Affordable Housing and Community Development Grants  
**FR Date:** 04/09/08 **PAGE:** 19380  
**DEADLINE:** 07/18/08  
**CONTACT:** Karen E. Daly  
**TELEPHONE:** 202 708-1817  
**SUMMARY:** Applications are invited for the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development; Capacity Building for Community: Development and Affordable Housing Grants; Funding Opportunity Number: FR-5196-N-01. The purpose of the Section 4 capacity building program is to enhance the capacity and ability of community development corporations (CDCs) and community housing development organizations (CHDOs) to carry out community development and affordable housing activities that benefit low-income families. Applications must be submitted through [http://ww.grants.gov/applicants/apply\\_for\\_grants.jsp](http://ww.grants.gov/applicants/apply_for_grants.jsp) and must be received and validated by Grants.gov no later than 11:59:59 p.m. eastern time on July 18, 2008 deadline date. Unless you received a waiver to the electronic application submission requirement. Waiver requests must be submitted in writing by e-mail, no later than 15 days prior to the application deadline date and should be e-mailed to Karen E. Daly at [Karen.E.Daly@hud.gov](mailto:Karen.E.Daly@hud.gov).

<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41217>

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Demolition and Revitalization of Severely Distressed Public Housing

CFDA#: 14.866  
FR Date: 03/26/08  
CONTACT: Leigh van Rij

AMOUNT: \$97,600,000  
PAGE: 16140      DEADLINE: 06/20/08  
TELEPHONE: 202 402-5788

SUMMARY: Applications are invited for the Office of the Secretary, Office of Public and Indian Housing; Funding Opportunity Title. Revitalization of Severely Distressed Public Housing HOPE VI Revitalization Grants Fiscal Year 2008. Funding Opportunity Number. The Federal Register number for this NOFA is FR-5198-N-01. The OMB approval number for this program is: 2577-0208. The purpose of HOPE VI Revitalization grants is to assist PHAs to: (1) Improve the living environment for public housing residents of severely distressed public housing projects through the demolition, rehabilitation, reconfiguration, or replacement of obsolete public housing projects (or portions thereof); (2) Revitalize sites (including remaining public housing dwelling units) on which such public housing projects are located and contribute to the improvement of the surrounding neighborhood; (3) Provide housing that will avoid or decrease the concentration of very low-income families; and (4) Build sustainable communities. HUD will not accept an entire application submitted by fax. Application materials may be obtained from [http://www.grants.gov/applicants/apply\\_for\\_grants.jsp](http://www.grants.gov/applicants/apply_for_grants.jsp). Applicants for the HOPE IV NOFA must also refer to the General Section of March 19, 2008 (73 FR 14882) and the March 10, 2008 Notice of FY 2008 Opportunity to Register Early and Other Important Information for Electronic Application Submission Via Grants.gov (73 FR 12751) for important application information and requirements, including submission requirements, which have changed this year. In FY 2008, HUD is continuing its requirement that applicants submit their applications electronically through <http://www.grants.gov>.

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Rural Housing and Economic Development

CFDA#: 14.250

FR Date: 03/19/08

CONTACT: Jackie L. Williams

PAGE: 14831

TELEPHONE: 202 708-2290

SUMMARY: Notice regarding from the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development; Announcement of Funding Awards for the Rural Housing and Economic Development Program; Fiscal Year 2007. This announcement contains the names of the awardees and the amounts of the awards made available by HUD. For the Fiscal Year 2007 competition, a total of \$16,800,000 was awarded to 58 projects nationwide.

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Rules Changes:

Mortgage Insurance for Construction or Substantial Rehabilitation of Condominium Projects      CFDA#: 14.112

FR Date: 03/31/08

CONTACT: Joe Sealey

PAGE: 17238

TELEPHONE: 202 708-2866

SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Office of Assistant Secretary for Housing - Federal Housing Commissioner; Changes in Maximum Mortgage Limits for Multifamily Housing. This rule conforms HUD's regulations to a recent statutory increase in the amount by which HUD may increase the dollar amount limitations on insured mortgages for

multifamily housing to current law and is not exercising any regulatory discretion, public comment is unnecessary.

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Mortgage Insurance - Cooperative Projects  
CFDA#: 14.126    FR Date: 03/31/08    PAGE: 17238  
CONTACT: Joe Sealey    TELEPHONE: 202 708-2866  
SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Office of Assistant Secretary for Housing - Federal Housing Commissioner; Changes in Maximum Mortgage Limits for Multifamily Housing. This rule conforms HUD’s regulations to a recent statutory increase in the amount by which HUD may increase the dollar amount limitations on insured mortgages for multifamily housing to current law and is not exercising any regulatory discretion, public comment is unnecessary.

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Mortgage Insurance - Manufactured Home Parks    CFDA#: 14.127  
FR Date: 03/31/08    PAGE: 17238  
CONTACT: Joe Sealey    TELEPHONE: 202 708-2866  
SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Office of Assistant Secretary for Housing - Federal Housing Commissioner; Changes in Maximum Mortgage Limits for Multifamily Housing. This rule conforms HUD’s regulations to a recent statutory increase in the amount by which HUD may increase the dollar amount limitations on insured mortgages for multifamily housing to current law and is not exercising any regulatory discretion, public comment is unnecessary.

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Mortgage Insurance - Rental Housing    CFDA#: 14.134  
FR Date: 03/31/08    PAGE: 17238  
CONTACT: Joe Sealey    TELEPHONE: 202 708-2866  
SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Office of Assistant Secretary for Housing - Federal Housing Commissioner; Changes in Maximum Mortgage Limits for Multifamily Housing. This rule conforms HUD’s regulations to a recent statutory increase in the amount by which HUD may increase the dollar amount limitations on insured mortgages for multifamily housing to current law and is not exercising any regulatory discretion, public comment is unnecessary.

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Mortgage Insurance - Rental and Cooperative Housing for Moderate Income Families and Elderly, Market Interest Rate    CFDA#: 14.135  
FR Date: 03/31/08    PAGE: 17238  
CONTACT: Joe Sealey    TELEPHONE: 202 708-2866  
SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Office of Assistant Secretary for Housing - Federal Housing Commissioner; Changes in Maximum Mortgage Limits for Multifamily Housing. This rule conforms HUD’s regulations to a recent statutory increase in the amount by which HUD may increase the dollar amount limitations on insured mortgages for multifamily housing to current law and is not exercising any regulatory discretion, public comment is unnecessary.

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Mortgage Insurance - Rental Housing for the Elderly                      CFDA#: 14.138  
FR Date: 03/31/08    PAGE: 17238  
CONTACT: Joe Sealey    TELEPHONE: 202 708-2866  
SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Office of Assistant Secretary for Housing - Federal Housing Commissioner; Changes in Maximum Mortgage Limits for Multifamily Housing. This rule conforms HUD’s regulations to a recent statutory increase in the amount by which HUD may increase the dollar amount limitations on insured mortgages for multifamily housing to current law and is not exercising any regulatory discretion, public comment is unnecessary.

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Mortgage Insurance - Rental Housing in Urban Renewal Areas   CFDA#: 14.139  
FR Date: 03/31/08    PAGE: 17238  
CONTACT: Joe Sealey    TELEPHONE: 202 708-2866  
SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Office of Assistant Secretary for Housing - Federal Housing Commissioner; Changes in Maximum Mortgage Limits for Multifamily Housing. This rule conforms HUD’s regulations to a recent statutory increase in the amount by which HUD may increase the dollar amount limitations on insured mortgages for multifamily housing to current law and is not exercising any regulatory discretion, public comment is unnecessary.

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Mortgage Insurance for the Purchase or Refinancing of Existing Multifamily Housing Project                      CFDA#: 14.155  
FR Date: 03/31/08    PAGE: 17238  
CONTACT: Joe Sealey    TELEPHONE: 202 708-2866  
SUMMARY: Final rule regarding the Office of Assistant Secretary for Housing - Federal Housing Commissioner; Changes in Maximum Mortgage Limits for Multifamily Housing. This rule conforms HUD’s regulations to a recent statutory increase in the amount by which HUD may increase the dollar amount limitations on insured mortgages for multifamily housing to current law and is not exercising any regulatory discretion, public comment is unnecessary.

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**Department of Labor**

Occupational Safety and Health Administration Susan Harwood Training Grant, FY 2008 Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	SHTG-FY-08-02
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Mar 26, 2008
Creation Date:	Mar 26, 2008
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 23, 2008    Grant applications must be received electronically by the

	Grants.gov system no later than 4:30 p.m., E.T., on Friday, May 23, 2008, the application deadline date.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 23, 2008 Grant applications must be received electronically by the Grants.gov system no later than 4:30 p.m., E.T., on Friday, May 23, 2008, the application deadline date.
Archive Date:	Jun 22, 2008
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Category Explanation:	Safety and Health Training and Education
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$6,700,000
Award Ceiling:	
Award Floor:	
CFDA Number:	17.502 -- Occupational Safety and Health Susan Harwood Training Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

**Eligible Applicants**

Nonprofit organizations, including community-based and faith-based organizations that are not an agency of a State or local government are eligible to apply. Additionally, State or local government supported institutions of higher education are eligible to apply in accordance with 29 CFR part 95. Eligible organizations can apply independently for funding or in partnership with other eligible organizations, but in such a case, a lead organization must be identified. Sub-grants are not authorized. Subcontracts, if any, must be awarded in accordance with 29 CFR 95.40-48, including OMB circulars requiring free and open competition for procurement transactions. A 501(c)(4) nonprofit organization, as described in 26 U.S.C. 501(c)(4), that engages in lobbying activities will not be eligible for the receipt of federal funds constituting an award, grant or loan. See 1 U.S.C. 1611. Applicants other than State or local government supported institutions of higher education will be required to submit evidence of nonprofit status, preferably from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). See full announcement for details.

**Description**

The Susan Harwood Training Grant Program provides funds for programs to train employees and employers to recognize, avoid, and prevent safety and health hazards in their workplaces. The program emphasizes four areas: 1) Educating employees and employers in small businesses. For purposes of this

**Fr Date:** 03/26/08 **Page:** 16067 **Deadline:** 05/23/08  
**Contact:** Cynthia Bencheck, Program Analyst  
**Telephone:** 847 297-4810  
**Contact:** Jim Barnes, Director, Office Of Training & Educational Program  
**Telephone:** 847 297-4810

<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&opId=17290>

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	SGA-08-06
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Apr 15, 2008
Creation Date:	Apr 15, 2008
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 14, 2008
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 14, 2008
Archive Date:	Jun 13, 2008
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Employment, Labor and Training

Category Explanation:  
Expected Number of Awards:  
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$3,500,000  
Award Ceiling: \$300,000  
Award Floor: \$75,000  
CFDA Number: 17.805 -- Homeless Veterans  
Reintegration Project  
  
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

**Eligible Applicants**

Applications for funds will be accepted from State and local Workforce Investment Boards, local public agencies, for-profit/commercial entities, and non-profit organizations, including faith-based and community organizations. Applicants must have a familiarity with the area and population to be served and the ability to administer an effective and timely program. Eligible applicants will generally fall into one of the following categories: • State and local Workforce Investment Boards (WIBs), established under Sections 111 and 117 of the Workforce Investment Act. • Public agencies, meaning any public agency of a State or of a general purpose political subdivision of a State that has the power to levy taxes and spend funds, as well as general corporate and police powers. (This typically refers to cities and counties.) A State agency may propose in its application to serve one or more of the jurisdictions located in its State. This does not preclude a city or county agency from submitting an application to serve its own jurisdiction. • For-profit/commercial entities. • Non-profit organizations (including faith-based and community organizations). If claiming 501(c)(3) status, the Internal Revenue Service statement indicating 501(c)(3) status approval must be submitted. • Note that entities organized under Section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code are not eligible to receive funds under this announcement. Section 18 of the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995, Public Law 104-65, 109 Stat. 691 (2 U.S.C. 1611) prohibits instituting an award, grant, or loan of federal funds to 501(c)(4) entities that engage in lobbying.

**Description**

SUMMARY: (Applicants For Grant Funds Should Read This Notice In Its Entirety): The U.S. Department of Labor (USDOL), Veterans’ Employment and Training Service (VETS) announces a grant competition under 38 U.S.C. Section 2021, which provides that “the Secretary of Labor shall conduct, directly or through grant or contract, such programs as the Secretary determines appropriate to provide job training, counseling, and placement services (including job readiness and literacy and skills training) to expedite the reintegration of homeless veterans into the labor force.” Both Urban and Non-Urban areas serving homeless veterans will be considered for funding under this HVRP solicitation. Urban areas are those that serve a high concentration of homeless veterans in the metropolitan areas of the 75 U.S. cities largest in population and the metropolitan area of San Juan, Puerto Rico, and are listed in Appendix



G. All Urban HVRP grant applicants must provide written documentation and maps, if available, which demonstrate that the proposed area to be served has a population equal to or more than 383,545 (the smallest population on the list of 75 U.S. cities largest in population). Non-Urban areas are those areas that serve homeless veterans that are not listed on Appendix G. All Non-Urban HVRP grant applicants must provide written documentation and maps, if available, which demonstrate that the proposed area to be served has a population less than 383,545 (the smallest population on the list of 75 U.S. cities largest in population). Applicants must indicate whether they are applying for an Urban or Non-Urban grant award on their grant application. HVRP grants are intended to address two objectives: (1) to provide services to assist in reintegrating homeless veterans into meaningful employment within the labor force, and (2) to stimulate the development of effective service delivery systems that will address the complex problems facing homeless veterans. Successful applicants will design programs that assist eligible veterans by providing job placement services, job training, counseling, supportive services, and other assistance to expedite the reintegration of homeless veterans into the labor force. Successful programs will also be designed to be flexible in addressing the universal as well as the local or regional problems that have had a negative impact on homeless veterans reentering the workforce. Under this solicitation covering PY 2008, VETS anticipates that up to \$3,500,000 will be available, with a maximum award of \$300,000 for grants that serve Urban areas and \$200,000 for grants that serve Non-Urban areas. VETS expects to award grants in both the Urban and Non-Urban categories. The number of grants to be awarded in each category will be announced after selections are made as the grants are awarded based on the merit of the applications and the applicants. Awards are expected to range from \$75,000 to a maximum of \$200,000 for grants that serve Non-Urban areas and from \$75,000 to a maximum of \$300,000 for grants that serve Urban areas. This notice contains all of the necessary information and forms to apply for grant funding. The active period of performance for these PY 2008 grants will be July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009. In addition, grantees will be required to provide follow-up services for a nine (9) month period from July 1, 2009 through March 31, 2010 (the “in-active” or “follow-up” period of performance), during which the grantee is expected to perform follow-up services 90, 180, and 270 days after a HVRP participant enters employment. Follow-up services are to be performed and reported by the grantee for each eligible HVRP participant that entered into employment during the active performance period as indicated by Common Measures Reporting requirements. Two (2) optional years of additional funding may be available, subject to the availability of funding, to the agency’s decision to exercise the option year(s) of funding, and to satisfactory grantee and sub-awardee(s) performance.

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Rule Notification:

Temporary Labor Certification for Foreign Workers

PAGE: 19944

CONTACT: Office of Policy Dev. & Res. (E-3 labor cond. process)

TELEPHONE: 202 693-3700

CONTACT: Diane Koplewski, (E-3 enforcement process)

TELEPHONE: 202 693-0071

**SUMMARY:** Final rule regarding the Employment and Training Administration, and Employment Standards Administration; Labor Condition Application Requirements for Employers Seeking To Use Nonimmigrants on E-3 Visas in Specialty Occupations; Filing Procedures. The Department of Labor is publishing this Final Rule to amend its regulations regarding the temporary employment of nonimmigrant foreign professionals in order to implement procedural requirements applicable to the E-3 visa category. This Final Rule clarifies the procedures that employers must follow in obtaining a DOL-certified labor condition application before seeking an E-3 visa for a foreign worker.

## National Aeronautics and Space Administration

NASA Headquarters

ROSES 2008: Sample Return Laboratory Instruments and Data Analysis

## Grant

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## National Endowment for the Humanities

## Preservation and Access Education and Training Grants

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	20080701-PE
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Apr 09, 2008
Creation Date:	Apr 09, 2008
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 01, 2008
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 01, 2008
Archive Date:	Jul 31, 2008
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	

Award Ceiling:	\$250,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number:	45.149 -- Promotion of the Humanities Division of Preservation and Access
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

**Eligible Applicants**

State governments  
City or township governments  
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education  
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)  
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education  
Private institutions of higher education

**Description**

These grants support national or regional (multi-state) education and training programs on the care and management of, and the creation of intellectual access to, library, archival, and material culture collections. Eligible projects include: the development and presentation of courses or programs on the care and management of collections for staff in cultural organizations who are responsible for the day-to-day care of collections; the development and presentation of courses or programs that focus on the skills and knowledge required to provide or enhance intellectual access to humanities collections; graduate programs in preservation and conservation; and preservation field services that serve a multi-state region and provide surveys, consultations, workshops, reference services, and informational materials to the staff of institutions responsible for the care of humanities collections.

**Link to Full Announcement**

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**Fellowships at Digital Humanities Centers Grant**

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	20080915-RF
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Apr 11, 2008
Creation Date:	Apr 11, 2008

Original Closing Date for Applications: Sep 15, 2008  
Current Closing Date for Applications: Sep 15, 2008  
Archive Date: Oct 15, 2008  
Funding Instrument Type: Grant  
Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)  
  
Category Explanation:  
Expected Number of Awards:  
Estimated Total Program Funding:  
Award Ceiling: \$100,800  
Award Floor: \$0  
CFDA Number: 45.161 -- Promotion of the Humanities Research  
  
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

**Eligible Applicants**

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education  
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education  
Private institutions of higher education

**Description**

NEH Fellowships at Digital Humanities Centers (FDHC) support collaboration between digital centers and individual scholars. An award provides funding for both a stipend for the fellow while in residence at the center and a portion of the center's costs for hosting a fellow. Awards are for periods of six to twelve months. The intellectual cooperation between the visiting scholar and the center may take many different forms and may involve humanities scholars of any level of digital expertise. Fellows may work exclusively on their own projects in consultation with center staff, collaborate on projects with other scholars affiliated with the center, function as “apprentices” on existing digital center projects, or any combination of these. The results of the collaboration may range from “proof of concept” to finished product. The aims of the program are to 1) support innovative collaboration on outstanding digital research projects; 2) expand digital literacy and expertise; 3) promote the work of digital humanities centers; and 4) encourage broad and open access to the humanities. FDHC grants are made to digital humanities centers and, therefore, a staff member of the digital humanities center must serve as the project director. Prospective fellows must apply through a digital center. Centers may submit one application per deadline; individual scholars may apply in collaboration with only one digital center per deadline. Awards support the scholar's fellowship in residence as well as a portion of the center’s direct and indirect costs of hosting such fellowships. The scholar in residence may not be employed by, or associated with, the institution that houses the center.

Link to Full Announcement

<http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/fdhc.html>  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41245>

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National Science Foundation

Science, Technology, and Society Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17315>

National Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Education Digital Library Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=true&oppld=17316>

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Small Business Administration

Paul D. Coverdell Drug-Free Workplace Program Grant  
[http://www.sba.gov/idc/groups/public/documents/sba\\_program\\_office/sbdc\\_dfwp\\_2008\\_announce.pdf](http://www.sba.gov/idc/groups/public/documents/sba_program_office/sbdc_dfwp_2008_announce.pdf)

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State Department

Mission to Turkey  
Youth Filmmaking Project Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	PRMTR-07-GR-001-EUR-040708
Opportunity Category:	Other
Posted Date:	Apr 07, 2008
Creation Date:	Apr 07, 2008
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 15, 2008
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 15, 2008
Archive Date:	May 16, 2008
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)

Category Explanation:	The United States Mission to Turkey, through its Consulate General in Istanbul, invites Turkish and American universities, non-governmental organizations and commercial entities to submit funding proposals for a nationwide youth film project.
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$525,000
Award Floor:	\$525,000
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

**Eligible Applicants**

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Eligibility is limited to Turkish and American universities, non-governmental organizations and commercial entities. All applicants must have a demonstrated expertise in filmmaking and/or youth projects. Proposals must include at least one partner from the United States and one partner from Turkey.

**Description**

The goal of this program is to promote greater understanding and awareness among young people in Turkey of issues related to democracy, human rights, tolerance and diversity, women’s issues, and economic empowerment through youth-created films and videos. The grantee will work with young people in cities and regions throughout Turkey to make short films or videos - fiction or documentary - that address one or more of these five areas. Requested funding for the program will last for 18 months and may not exceed \$525,000. Applicants are encouraged to seek co-funding from non-U.S. Government sources. Proposals must include partnerships between Turkish and American entities. The deadline for submissions of proposals is May 15, 2008. Programs should commence 30 days following the signing of the grant agreement.

**Link to Full Announcement**

[US Mission Turkey](#)

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Exchange - English Language Fellow Program  
CFDA#: 19.421  
AMOUNT: \$6,300,000  
FR Date: 04/10/08  
DEADLINE: 06/13/08  
CONTACT: Catherine Williamson  
TELEPHONE: 202 453-8844  
SUMMARY: Applications are invited for the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs (ECA); Request for Cooperative Agreement Proposals: English Language Fellow Program for Academic Year (AY) 2009-2010; Funding Opportunity Number: ECA/A/L—09-01. The English Language Fellow Program fosters mutual understanding between the people of the United States and those of other countries through exchanges of U.S. English language educators. Applications may be submitted in one of two ways: 1. In hard-copy, via a nationally recognized overnight delivery service (i.e., DHL, Federal Express, UPS, Airborne Express, or U.S. Postal Service Express Overnight Mail, etc.), or 2. Electronically through <http://www.grants.gov>. Along with the Project Title, all applicants must enter the above Reference Number in Box 11 on the SF-424 contained in the mandatory Proposal Submission Instructions (PSI) of the solicitation document.

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**U.S. Department of Transportation**

Payments for Small Community Air Service Development

CFDA#: 20.930      FR Date: 04/01/08      PAGE: 17397      DEADLINE: 06/06/08  
CONTACT: Aloha Ley  
TELEPHONE: 202 366-2347  
SUMMARY: Applications are invited for the Office of the Secretary; Notice of Order Soliciting Community Proposals (Order 2008-3-8) Docket DOT-OST-2008-0100. By this order, the Department invites proposals from communities and/or consortia of communities interested in obtaining a federal grant under the Small Community Air Service Development Program (Small Community Program) to address air service and airfare problems in their communities. Proposals should be submitted in the above-referenced docket no later than June 6, 2008. Applicants must submit an Application for Federal Domestic Assistance (SF424), a standard federal government grant application form, at <http://www.grants.gov> and include their proposals as an attachment to the SF424. An application will not be deemed complete until and unless all required materials are filed by the June 6, 2008 deadline. Communities are reminded to register with Grants.gov early in the application period since the registration process can take up to 10 days to complete.

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Modifications:

DOT/National Highway Traffic Safety Administration Investigation/Prosecution of  
Odometer Fraud Modification 2  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41159>

DOT Federal Highway Administration  
Fuel Tax Evasion Intergovernmental Enforcement Efforts Modification 4  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41166>

DOT Federal Highway Administration  
Performance Related Testing and Analysis of Asphalt Binders, Mixtures, and Pavements  
- II Modification 1  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=40967>

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## **U.S. Agency for International Development**

Colombia USAID- Bogota  
Land Mines Activities For Victims Of The Conflict In Colombia Modification 1  
<Http://Www.Grants.Gov/Search/Search.Do?&Mode=View&Flag2006=True&Oppid=17284>

South Africa USAID-Pretoria  
Behaviors Change And Reduced Incidence Of HIV Infections In Malawi. This is a Pre-Solicitation Only Grant  
<Http://Www07.Grants.Gov/Search/Search.Do?&Mode=View&Flag2006=False&Oppid=41219>

Public Private Partnerships For Disaster Management In India And Indonesia Grant  
<Http://Www07.Grants.Gov/Search/Search.Do?&Mode=View&Flag2006=False&Oppid=41240>

South Africa USAID-Pretoria  
Support Of The South African Department Of Education Modification 3  
<Http://Www07.Grants.Gov/Search/Search.Do?&Mode=View&Flag2006=False&Oppid=40546>

USAID/DCHA/OFDA FY 2008 Annual Program Statement (APS) for Prevention of, and  
Response to, Gender-Based Violence  
Modification 2  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41227>

Cambodia USAID-Phnom Penh  
Rule of Law and Human Rights (ROL/HR)Grant  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41244>



Hungary USAID-Budapest  
Sustainable Interventions to Combat Trafficking in Persons in Bosnia and Herzegovina (SUSTAIN) Grant  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41282>

US Agency for International Development  
Elections and Political Processes Grant  
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=41283>

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**Veterans Affairs**

Rule Changes:

Automobiles and Adaptive Equipment for Certain Disabled Veterans and Members of the Armed Forces  
CFDA#: 64.100                      FR Date: 04/08/08                      PAGE: 19021  
CONTACT: William F. Russo                      TELEPHONE: 202 461-4902  
SUMMARY: Proposed rule regarding the Veterans Affairs (VA); Burial Benefits. The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) proposes to reorganize and rewrite in plain language provisions applicable to burial benefits. These revisions are proposed as part of VA’s rewrite and reorganization of all of its compensation and pension rules in a logical, claimant-focused, and user-friendly format. The intended effect of the proposed revisions is to assist claimants, beneficiaries, and VA personnel in locating and understanding these regulations regarding burial benefits.

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Burial Expenses Allowance for Veterans  
CFDA#: 64.101                      FR Date: 04/08/08                      PAGE: 19021  
CONTACT: William F. Russo                      TELEPHONE: 202 461-4902  
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Compensation for Service-Connected Deaths for Veterans’ Dependents  
CFDA#: 64.102                      FR Date: 04/08/08                      PAGE: 19021  
CONTACT: William F. Russo                      TELEPHONE: 202 461-4902  
SUMMARY: Proposed rule regarding the Veterans Affairs (VA); Burial Benefits. The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) proposes to reorganize and rewrite in plain language provisions applicable to burial benefits. These revisions are proposed as part

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Pension for Non-Service-Connected Disability for Veterans  
CFDA#: 64.104                      FR Date: 04/08/08                      PAGE: 19021  
CONTACT: William F. Russo                      TELEPHONE: 202 461-4902  
SUMMARY: Proposed rule regarding the Veterans Affairs (VA); Burial Benefits. The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) proposes to reorganize and rewrite in plain language provisions applicable to burial benefits. These revisions are proposed as part of VA’s rewrite and reorganization of all of its compensation and pension rules in a logical, claimant-focused, and user-friendly format. The intended effect of the proposed revisions is to assist claimants, beneficiaries, and VA personnel in locating and understanding these regulations regarding burial benefits.

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Pension to Veterans Surviving Spouses, and Children  
CFDA#: 64.105                      FR Date: 04/08/08                      PAGE: 19021  
CONTACT: William F. Russo                      TELEPHONE: 202 461-4902  
SUMMARY: Proposed rule regarding the Veterans Affairs (VA); Burial Benefits. The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) proposes to reorganize and rewrite in plain language provisions applicable to burial benefits. These revisions are proposed as part of VA’s rewrite and reorganization of all of its compensation and pension rules in a logical, claimant-focused, and user-friendly format. The intended effect of the proposed revisions is to assist claimants, beneficiaries, and VA personnel in locating and understanding these regulations regarding burial benefits.

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Specially Adapted Housing for Disabled Veterans  
CFDA#: 64.106                      FR Date: 04/08/08                      PAGE: 19021  
CONTACT: William F. Russo                      TELEPHONE: 202 461-4902  
SUMMARY: Proposed rule regarding the Veterans Affairs (VA); Burial Benefits. The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) proposes to reorganize and rewrite in plain language provisions applicable to burial benefits. These revisions are proposed as part of VA’s rewrite and reorganization of all of its compensation and pension rules in a logical, claimant-focused, and user-friendly format. The intended effect of the proposed revisions is to assist claimants, beneficiaries, and VA personnel in locating and understanding these regulations regarding burial benefits.

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Veterans Compensation for Service-Connected Disability  
CFDA#: 64.109                      FR Date: 04/08/08                      PAGE: 19021  
CONTACT: William F. Russo                      TELEPHONE: 202 461-4902  
SUMMARY: Proposed rule regarding the Veterans Affairs (VA); Burial Benefits. The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) proposes to reorganize and rewrite in plain language provisions applicable to burial benefits. These revisions are proposed as part of VA’s rewrite and reorganization of all of its compensation and pension rules in a logical, claimant-focused, and user-friendly format. The intended effect of the

proposed revisions is to assist claimants, beneficiaries, and VA personnel in locating and understanding these regulations regarding burial benefits.

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Veterans Dependency and Indemnity Compensation for Service-Connected Death  
CFDA#: 64.110                      FR Date: 04/08/08                      PAGE: 19021  
CONTACT: William F. Russo                      TELEPHONE: 202 461-4902  
SUMMARY: Proposed rule regarding the Veterans Affairs (VA); Burial Benefits. The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) proposes to reorganize and rewrite in plain language provisions applicable to burial benefits. These revisions are proposed as part of VA’s rewrite and reorganization of all of its compensation and pension rules in a logical, claimant-focused, and user-friendly format. The intended effect of the proposed revisions is to assist claimants, beneficiaries, and VA personnel in locating and understanding these regulations regarding burial benefits.

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Veterans Information and Assistance  
CFDA#: 64.115                      FR Date: 04/08/08                      PAGE: 19021  
CONTACT: William F. Russo                      TELEPHONE: 202 461-4902  
SUMMARY: Proposed rule regarding the Veterans Affairs (VA); Burial Benefits. The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) proposes to reorganize and rewrite in plain language provisions applicable to burial benefits. These revisions are proposed as part of VA’s rewrite and reorganization of all of its compensation and pension rules in a logical, claimant-focused, and user-friendly format. The intended effect of the proposed revisions is to assist claimants, beneficiaries, and VA personnel in locating and understanding these regulations regarding burial benefits.

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Monthly Allowance for Children of Vietnam Veterans Born with Spina Bifida  
CFDA#: 64.127                      FR Date: 04/08/08                      PAGE: 19021  
CONTACT: William F. Russo                      TELEPHONE: 202 461-4902  
SUMMARY: Proposed rule regarding the Veterans Affairs (VA); Burial Benefits. The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) proposes to reorganize and rewrite in plain language provisions applicable to burial benefits. These revisions are proposed as part of VA’s rewrite and reorganization of all of its compensation and pension rules in a logical, claimant-focused, and user-friendly format. The intended effect of the proposed revisions is to assist claimants, beneficiaries, and VA personnel in locating and understanding these regulations regarding burial benefits.

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UPCOMING DEADLINES		
Below are deadlines for the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Programs that have appeared in the Federal Register in the past several weeks.		
DEADLINE	CFDA NUMBER	PROGRAM TITLE
04/30/08	84.293B	Foreign Language Assistance
05/05/08	84.116B	Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education

05/19/08	84.184N	Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities
05/23/08	17.502	OSHA - Susan Harwood Training Grants
05/27/08	84.234S	Projects with Industry
06/06/08	20.930	Payments for Small Community Air Service Dev
06/09/08	96.007	Social Security - Research and Demonstration
06/13/08	19.421	Exchange - English Language Fellow Program
06/17/08	11.472	Unallied Science Program
06/20/08	14.866	Demolition & Revitalization of Severely Distressed Public Housing
07/18/08	14.252	Section 4 Capacity Building for Affordable Housing and Community Development